

### FRATERNALISM LIVES

What to do with a World War I veteran when he's hungry—that was the problem faced by a small—and we pick 'em as select—group here last week. The guy was not only hungry, he was wet, hatless, penniless, no place to lay his head. Fact is, he didn't look like much, and the cold, business view of him was, "Let him go—had no business being out." Despite that, he was well-fed that night and next morning, was given a good hotel room and left town with a brand-new hat. The American Legion, as represented by only three of its members, was functioning last week.

### A SHIN PLASTER

When you do a bit of advertising you never know the good it will do. It's almost like the theory some hold about sound—that it goes into circulation, never to die. "Bread cast on the waters," so to speak.

The latest on this advertising business concerns a campaign poster used by Sheriff Troy B. Sturgill. These placards went up on telephone poles, trees, buildings old and new, in windows and elsewhere. They might have been torn down in a few instances, or again might have provided boys the opportunity to test the power of kinetic energy via rock-throwing. After all, they played their part in getting Sturgill elected.

But this week the Sturgill placard was seen in an altogether new role. When County Judge E. P. Hill h'isted his foot to pull up his sock, out fell one of these pieces of cardboard from the judicial shin where it had been used as a windshield.

### GREATLY EXAGGERATED

Two ambulances made the trip Sunday to Norton, Va., to bring home the bodies of Dr. Claude Allen and Roy (Cob) Turner, reported as auto accident victims. The "victims" were pleased to report there was no truth in the rumor—yet, they'd prefer to hear no more about it.

This one, I suspect, has whiskers on it and if you've heard it try and stop me. Anyway, it applies so well to some of our — no, not misanthropes, for they hate more than mankind—that it struck me as worth printing. It seems that a minister went to talk to an old woman whose mouth was so far down at the corners that when she had soup it ran down both her shoulders. "Isn't there something you're thankful for this year?" the reverend inquired. And the old lady told him in no uncertain terms there positively was nothing, that the world had gone to pot and she saw no hope for anything. But the preacher persisted, probing for one bright ray in this dark cloud of life, and she finally admitted that yes, there was one thing she was thankful for. "What is it, sister—what is it?" the minister eagerly inquired. "Well, sir," she grated, "I'm thankful I've got two teeth left—and one's straight above 'tother'n!'"

### HE KEPT HIS PROMISE

It really seemed like a small world after all to two Beaver Creek boys who met in North Africa. Pvt. Walter C. Stamper, of Martin, who has been stationed with the supply department of the army air corps in North Africa for the past year, met Seaman Jack Hopper, formerly of Wayland, when Seaman Hopper landed in Africa in October.

Right away they found out that they were two Beaver Creek boys who were a long way from home. Pvt. Stamper wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stamper, of Martin, that Hopper would visit them on his return to the States. And Seaman Hopper kept his word. Although he had not seen his father at Wayland in three years, Hopper remembered his promise to Pvt. Stamper and stopped in Martin Dec. 9, while en route to Wayland, and visited the soldier's parents.

### SPENT IT IN GOOD CAUSE, ANYHOW

The story telling how one Pvt. Charles McCarthy (no kin to the radio McCarthy) peeled off \$7,500 from his roll and bought a \$10,000

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## Court House Happenings

### SUITS FILED

Caroline Prater vs. Jim Johnson; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Mallie Conn vs. Mrs. N. J. Brown, et al.; Harkins & Harkins, attys. Anna Frasure vs. Malcolm Frasure; J. B. Clarke, atty.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Orville Stone and Rosaline Hamilton. Ellis Chaffins and Nannie Shepherd. Edmer Fannin and Lois Sizemore. Robert Stephens and Burenda Clark.

## LEGISLATION, LITTLE HELP TO FATHERS

### In This County; January Quota Calls for 209

Whatever the over-all effects of draft legislation recently enacted by Congress for the relief of fathers, it will make little change in Floyd county toward keeping dads out of the service, it was indicated this week.

For January draft quotas received by the county's two selective service boards this week called for a total of 209 men, with the supply of single men exhausted and the only source of replenishment lying in the registration of youths as they become 18.

Selective Service headquarters instructed the draft boards to call up, first, all available non-fathers (a group which includes those who became fathers after Pearl Harbor), then to fill the remainder of their quotas with fathers.

When the December draft calls were made last week, the supply of single men in I-A was wholly expended by both boards. As a result, January's quotas will be largely filled with fathers.

For next month Draft Board 44 has been asked to send 112 selectees Board 45, to send 97.

## TOKENS' USE BEGINS FEB. 15

### 'Change' for Stamps With New Values Thus Provided

The Floyd County War Price and Rationing Board here announced this week that, effective Feb. 15, all stamps or coupons in Ration Books 3 and 4 will be good for 10 points each and that "change" will be issued to purchasers of rationed goods by retail stores in tokens for the value of stamps unused by their purchases.

Merchants over the country have already been asked to make application to their local banking institutions for the number of tokens they will need under this new rationing set-up. Such applications were due at banks Wednesday of this week. It is possible, however, that applications may be filed a few days later, although the rationing board could give no promise of such leniency.

Beginning Feb. 15, ration stamps will be torn in all instances horizontally, rather than in the zigzag fashion of preceding months. The customer will get the difference between the points spent and the number of points given the merchant in tokens.

The rationing board here also announced that new "B" and "C" gasoline stamps will be issued for five gallons instead of the two gallons heretofore issued for these coupons. This, however, it was explained, will not mean that more gasoline is available to the motorist; the new ruling means that fewer coupons will be issued.

### P'burg Seniors Sponsor Winter Carnival

Senior Class of Prestonsburg high school sponsored the winter carnival at the school Friday night.

Each home room and club was permitted to sponsor some entertainment. Some of the events of the evening were dancing, style show, the "Big Broadcast," bingo, penny board, a boxing match and other events.

Outstanding event of the evening was the crowning of the king and queen. A candidate for carnival king and queen was elected from each home room. After tough competition Angeline Conley, a senior, and Donald Weddington, a junior, were chosen.

### Revival To Conclude With Conference Here

The revival now being conducted at the Freewill Baptist Church here by the Revs. F. S. Vanhoose and Scott Castle will be concluded with a conference meeting on Dec. 25-26, it was announced this week.

Revival services begin each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The conference will begin at 10:30 a.m., Christmas Day and continue through the next day.

### Methodist Ministers Meet Here To Plan Endowment Drive

Ministers from the Eastern Kentucky district of the Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church met here Monday at the M. E. Church to make final plans for an endowment fund drive to be launched for the benefit of Kentucky Wesleyan College at Winchester and other M. E. Church colleges in the state.

Dr. H. L. Clay, Ashland, district superintendent, presided at the meeting. Others present were Rev. Guy Coffman, R. R. Rose, Paintsville; Rev. J. B. Hahn, Maytown; Dr. H. L. Moore, Pikeville; Rev. Shelby Adams, Stone; Rev. W. B. Garriott and Rev. James Roark, Prestonsburg; Rev. Frank Allen, of Langley; Rev. Allen, of Oil Springs; Rev. J. R. Carr, Elkhorn City.

## HOPE FADES FOR MAYO

### Two Who Parachuted To Safety Tell Last Moments of Flight

Missing since Monday morning, Dec. 6, when the bomber on which he was a turret gunner dipped to destruction in the California hills, 90 miles northeast of Fresno, Sgt. Dick Erwin Mayo, 22-year-old son of Atty. and Mrs. W. P. Mayo, Prestonsburg, was considered definitely lost this week as the days passed and searching parties failed to find his plane.

"You have 45 seconds in which to jump," two members of the plane's crew who parachuted to safety said the bomber's pilot told them and others on the plane as a crash seemed inevitable. They said one other member of the crew was on the plane's "cat-walk" but neither he nor any other was seen to jump.

These two who escaped said they saw no other members of the crew leave the bomber by parachute. They also said they did not see the plane crash.

Search for the plane and its crew in the mountains encircling the lake was almost discontinued this week. If the plane crashed into the lake, the search of the depths may require weeks, it was said.

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## FOUR FOULS, 'CAT TOTAL

### In McDowell Game; Martin Turns On Scoring Punch

McDowell's Daredevils established a record of some sort or other Saturday night when they granted the Prestonsburg Black Cats not a field goal, the 18 to 4 score being the Prestonsburg team's worst defeat of the season. On the preceding night at Auxier, the McDowell five won, 33-20, and the Left Beaver Creek team's season standing as of this week stood at seven won and four lost.

Hitting its stride over the weekend the Martin Purple Flash scored 106 points in two games Friday and Saturday nights, defeating Maytown, 51 to 24, at Martin Friday evening and going to Wheelwright Saturday night to win, 55 to 24. Tonight (Thursday) Martin plays McDowell at Martin.

Tomorrow night McDowell is at home to Wheelwright and Martin's team comes here Saturday night.

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### Prestonsburg Chapter Installs Officers

New officers of Prestonsburg Chapter 182, Royal Arch Masons, were installed at the chapter meeting Saturday night. The officers are:

Eugene Allen, high priest; T. J. Bingham, king; Herman Porter, scribe; W. J. May, treasurer; M. D. Powers, secretary; Fred Dickerson, captain of the host; J. T. Hughes, principal sojourner; W. G. Stiles, royal arch captain; R. V. Taylor, master of the third veil; A. V. Faull, master of the second veil; C. H. Corbin, master of the first veil.

### HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Misses Sara Clay Stephens and Dorothy Sue Allen, students at Centre College, Danville, are home for the holiday season.

## Kentuckians In Leading Roles In Wartime National Capital

"I don't know when in the annals of Congress, if ever, Kentucky or any other state its size has held such an array of assignments to the most powerful House committees," a Kentuckian commented recently as Congressman Brent Spence joined Congressman A. J. May, of Prestonsburg, as head of a powerful House committee.

Formal House action recently elevated Representative Spence to chairman of the House Banking and Currency Committee and others added to the already heavy responsibility of the Kentucky delegation.

Few states now have representation on so many important committees. With Representative May, chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, Kentucky has the unusual distinction of having members heading two major committees.

Five other Kentucky Democrats in the House all enjoy coveted committee assignments and the lone Republican, Representative John M.

## CHURCH BUYS FLOYD SHORT 111-ACRE FARM OF-ITS GOAL

### As Orphanage Site In Lawrence-Co., Near Louisa

The Kentucky Association of Free-will Baptists last week purchased an 111-acre farm two miles south of Louisa on which to establish an orphanage.

The Kentucky Association includes Free-will Baptist churches in Floyd, Lawrence, Johnson, Pike and Letcher counties.

The farm, located along both sides of the Griffith's Creek road between U.S. 23 and Beech Grove, was purchased from Tobbie Phillips, and is known as the R. C. Burton farm. Mr. Phillips, native of Flat Gap, purchased the farm recently from Mr. Burton.

Trustees of the Baptist Association concluded the deal with Mr. Phillips at Louisa Tuesday. Rev. William W. Moore, of Louisa, one of the trustees, said the price was

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### Mrs. Nora Hyden, 56, Dies at Lexington; Rites Held Here

Mrs. Nora Allen Hyden, 56 years old, wife of Joe Hyden, of Prestonsburg, died Saturday night in a Lexington hospital where she had been a patient for the last few months.

Mrs. Hyden was a daughter of the late Taylor Allen, onetime Floyd county sheriff, and had many relatives and friends in this section. She was first married to Bill Fitzpatrick, after whose death she was married to William Osborne, of this union one daughter, Mrs. Dick Davis, Prestonsburg, survives. Following the death of Mr. Osborne she was married to Joe Hyden, of West Prestonsburg. Their four sons and two daughters survive: Lt. Joe Taylor Hyden, of the marine corps and former Prestonsburg athletic coach; Tom Kirt Hyden, of the navy, John R. and Allen Lee Hyden, of Prestonsburg, Misses Gertrude and Mary Hyden, Baltimore, Md.

Funeral rites were conducted at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning from the residence here, the Revs. W. H. Horn and W. B. Garriott officiating, and burial was made in the May cemetery under direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

### BABE IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Two-year-old Betty Lois Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Patton, of Manton, died Tuesday at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, a victim of pneumonia. The funeral was conducted Wednesday afternoon from the parents' residence, the Rev. Ed Stone officiating. Burial was made at Manton under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home. Besides the parents, four sisters survive.

## DAR Announces 17th Grave Of Revolution Veterans Found

Graves of 17 veterans of the Revolutionary War have been located in Floyd county, it was announced at a meeting Tuesday evening of John Graham chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held at the home of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson, Court street.

Latest of these graves located is that of Fred Ash at Honaker. The other 16 graves, previously located, are those of John Graham, for whom the chapter was named, on the Leslie farm at Emma; John Friend, Weddington cemetery here; John W. Porter, Porter cemetery at Dewey; David and Wm. C. Morgan, both at the Davidson cemetery, Banner; John Fitzpatrick, Fitzpatrick cemetery, Middle Creek; Sammy Harris, Campbell cemetery, Cow

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### Kiwanis Club Here Observes 20th Anniversary

The Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, at its meeting last Thursday evening, observed the 20th anniversary of its founding.

In celebration of the occasion, Mayor E. P. Arnold was in charge of the anniversary program, and his address included reminiscences of Prestonsburg improvements made through Kiwanis sponsorship. Only four charter members of the club were present—Mayor Arnold, Jo M. Davidson, treasurer of the club since its organization, Wm. Dings and Dr. M. J. Leete. All gave brief talks.

Mrs. Everett H. Sowards, who has served as club pianist for 11 years, was recognized as the club's first woman member. Carl H. Corbin was accepted as the "baby" member of the club.

## MORE TIMBER PRODUCTION

### Sought by Forester From Floyd County Mill Operators

Heavier production from Floyd county sawmill operators and timberland owners continues to be sought, E. M. Olliver, project forester, wrote County Agent S. L. Isbell last week.

Mr. Olliver announced that he will spend the last three days of this week in the county to confer with individuals or firms producing lumber who have market problems and to assist in "ironing out" any other complication that is, or might be, preventing heavier production. He may be reached in the evenings or early mornings at the Auxier hotel; later in the day, at the office of the County Agent.

Floyd county was selected by Mr. Olliver as the first in which to start this special timber-production program which is mainly concerned with getting farmers to help out in the logging and lumber industry during the winter months.

## JANUARY JURY LIST OF 54

### Announced This Week; All-Male Juries Drawn For Coming Term

Jurors to serve at the January circuit court term here, which begins Circuit Judge Henry Stephens' fifth year on the bench, will continue, in accordance with Judge Stephens' announced policy, to be composed entirely of men, the jury list released Wednesday by Circuit Clerk W. W. Cooley reveals.

For the New Year court term 54 jurors were listed—24 grand jurors and 30 petit jurors. The docket for the term is expected to be slim. Names of jurors follow:

**Grand Jurors**  
Green Gearheart, Hueysville; Henry McGuire, Water Gap; Jefferson Johnson, Weeksburg; Lawrence Newsome, Melvin; Lee Frasure, Craynor; Willie Goble, Woods; Wess Campbell, Woods; Thomas E. James, German; Sam Tilden Vaughan, Cliff; Joe Branham, Cliff; Bill Fitzpatrick, Garrett; Landon Martin, Martin; John Ousley, Risner; Dave Hicks, Pyramid; Dick Wells, Water Gap; Clabe Stephens (Old Clabe), Prestonsburg; G. C. Lewis, Banner; John May, Langley; C. C. Craft, Hueysville; F. P. Hays, Hueysville; Frank Spradlin, Bonanza; Will Smith, Prestonsburg; Atlas Compton, Cliff; Ollie Powers, Prestonsburg.

**Petit Jurors**  
W. L. Compton, Prestonsburg; Henry Meade, Cliff; Prock Hays, Langley; J. L. Pitts, West Prestonsburg; Sam Hale, Prestonsburg; Alex Goble, Emma; Sam Halbert, Martin; Willie Johnson, Dana; H. H. Stumbo, Minnie; Nelson Tackett, Grethel; Ben Hunt, Lancer; Gib Ray, Cliff; Jim Boyd, Dana; Milford Turner, Langley; Andy Moore, Hippo; Walter Martin, Wayland; John Hughes, Prestonsburg; Levi Prater, Brainard; Richard Prater, Brainard; Joe Goble, Endicott; Isaac Stratton, Banner; Milt Holbrook, Brainard; George Martin Harris, Cliff; Ballard Setser, Endicott; Bill Hicks, Pyramid; R. T. Hunt, German; Malcolm Gearheart, Northern; C. L. Osborne, West Prestonsburg.

Contribute to the Kentucky War Fund—help the boys.

## LIGON MAN HELD HERE IN ROBBERY

### Martin, Mitchell Say Flanery, Two Others Slugged, Robbed Them

Alleged to have participated with two unidentified men in slugging and robbing Kenis Martin and Bill Mitchell, of Ligon, on the mountainside near Ligon Saturday night of \$260, Hatler Flanery, 30, was jailed here Monday by Deputy Sheriff Steve Hamilton and bond of \$2,000 was asked by Magistrate Dewey Roberts for his release.

Both victims of the assault and robbery claimed they saw Flanery before they were struck and afterward. They admitted they did not know the other two men taking part in the alleged robbery.

Flanery declared he had gone home from Alex Howell's roadhouse, near the scene of the robbery, and had no part in the affair. Witnesses were produced for both sides. The accused man had not executed bond at Wednesday noon.

Martin said he was struck by a beer bottle and Mitchell said he "thought" he was struck a blow by "somebody's" fist. Martin listed his cash losses as a \$100 bill, a \$50 bill and a twenty. Mitchell said he lost a 50 and two 20's.

Arrested by Chief of Police Troy Mullins, of Wayland, on a grand larceny charge, Sid Blizard, of Wayland, sought release from jail this week on \$1,000 bond. Particulars of Blizard's alleged offense were not available.

## BLOOD PLASMA TOTAL, \$650

### McJunkin Supply Co. Heads Contributions With \$100 Donation

Floyd county, though far behind on its \$12,800 War Fund quota, was doing quite well this week in its support of the blood plasma fund sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution here, the Buddy Bag fund of the Red Cross and in the purchase of War Bonds.

Mrs. Evelyn J. Salisbury, DAR treasurer, reported a blood plasma total this week of \$650, with no contributions yet reported from mining centers of the county. Tom Ransy, UMWA international board member, recently told DAR representatives at Pikeville he considered the blood plasma movement of utmost importance, one of life and death, and assured the organization's support of this money-raising move to supplant with funds the blood residents of this section would but cannot give.

McJunkin Supply Company headed the list of contributors to the blood plasma fund with \$100. Other mass contributors were Wayland high school, \$51.60; Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club (partial membership), \$45; Prestonsburg Alumni-Pikeville College basketball game, Dec. 14, \$8.75.

### Former Floyd Man Injured in Fall At Chicago, Ill.

A telegram received this morning (Thursday) stated that Mr. Moore is recovering at a Chicago hospital and that his condition is not serious.

Ed Moore, 38 years old, former employe of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company in this county, and a son of Ex-Sheriff Kendall Moore, lies unconscious in a Chicago hospital, relatives here and elsewhere in the county have been informed, as result of a fall from a railroad locomotive at Chicago, Ill., shortly after noon Monday.

Mr. Moore resided at Allen until shortly before he resigned his position with the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company last summer. Since that time he and his wife and three children had resided at Monroeville, Indiana.

It was learned Wednesday afternoon that Mr. Moore fell from the water tender of a locomotive in the Chicago yards and suffered a skull fracture. The injured man is a brother of Earl Moore, of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company office here.



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## MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

### FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Joe Alley, Admr., Plaintiff  
Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE

Luther Hall, Etc., Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the October term, 1942, in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 27th day of December, 1943, at 1 o'clock, p.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being on Big Mud Creek in Floyd county, Ky., containing four acres more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Luther Hall by unrecorded Commissioner's deed, bearing date the... day of... 1939, and being lot No. 3 in the division of the estate of John M. Hall, deceased, and more fully shown by map of record in the Floyd circuit court clerk's office, to which reference is made for a more definite description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy judgments against the defendant, Luther Hall, as follows: \$50.00 with interest from May 14, 1937; \$10.00 with interest from Nov. 3, 1938, and \$500.00 with interest from Dec. 16, 1938, until paid, and the costs of this action, subject to a credit of \$286.03.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of December, 1943.

J. B. CLARKE,  
Master Commissioner,  
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Situated on Big Mud Creek in Floyd county, Ky., containing 49 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to Goldie Hall by unrecorded Commissioner's deed, bearing date the... day of... 1939, and being lot No. 10 in the division of the estate of John M. Hall, deceased, as more fully shown by map of record in the Floyd circuit court clerk's office, to which reference is made for a more definite description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy the following judgments, to-wit: \$798.25 with interest from Feb. 22, 1937, until paid, subject to a credit of \$50.00 on Aug. 26, 1937; the sum of \$50.50 with interest from March 13, 1937, until paid; the sum of \$100.00 with interest from May 5, 1939, until paid and the costs of this action, all of said judgments being subject to a further credit of \$286.03.

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## MAYTOWN

Roger Turner has returned to camp after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. A. L. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hagans, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting relatives here. Mr. Hagans is recovering from an appendectomy. They will be here until after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. C. L. Allen and Miss Peggy Jo Allen were shopping in Ashland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stapleton were shopping in Huntington Monday.

V. O. Turner spent Saturday in Prestonsburg.

John Stewart, of the army, and his wife, the former Miss Beulah Napier, have been visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. John May. Mr. Stewart is stationed in Texas, near the Mexican border. Mrs. Stewart, a former Floyd county teacher, is teaching in a Mexican school.

Miss Wilma Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen and Mrs. Arnold Cassidy were shopping in Paintsville Thursday.

Mrs. Mark Reed and daughter, Miss Barbara, spent Friday in Huntington.

Waldo Vance, of the army, and Herschel Vance, of the navy, were visiting friends here Saturday. The Vance family lived in Maytown until about two years ago when they moved to Morgan county. Waldo is now stationed in North Carolina; Herschel has been on active duty in Africa.

Mrs. Jones Tallent has returned from a visit to Norfolk, Va.

Sgt. Earl Martin, of Ft. Thomas, and Mrs. Martin, the former Miss Opal May, are visiting Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank May. Mrs. Martin is now working in Dayton, O.

Mrs. G. D. Ryan, Mrs. Jack Ryan and son were visitors in Maytown Thursday.

Mrs. Claude Hagans has returned home after undergoing a minor operation at the Martin General hospital.

Miss Joyce Stewart spent the week-end in Wheelwright, visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wayne Ratliff.

Friends and relatives in Maytown wish to extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Porter Mayo in the recent loss of their son.

Friends of Mrs. G. A. May, Sr., are glad to learn she is recuperating from a recent attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton were visitors in Garrett Sunday afternoon.

Pvt. Dennis E. Francis, of the medical corps, is home on a 15-day furlough from Denver, Colo. He was met at Ashland by Mr. and Mrs. Den Douglas Fairchild and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Francis. Pvt. Francis has a brother in the army at Fort Sill, Okla., and a sister somewhere in North Africa as an army nurse.

## EDGAR

(Last week's correspondence)  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laferty and little son, Lefie, were the Sunday night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Laferty and family visited his father-in-law, W. A. Burchett, at Cliff Sunday.

Mrs. Fabry Belle Collins is seriously ill at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Miss Velva Delong has returned to her work at Ypsilanti, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laferty and daughters, Roberta and Pauline, were Saturday night guests of John Laferty, Jr., and family.

J. L. Laferty butchered a hog seven feet long and five feet around at his home Saturday.

J. L. Laferty was in Prestonsburg Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Eva Laferty suffered a slight cut on the ankle as she was cutting wood last Friday.

Miss Roberta Viola Laferty was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Crider at German.

Mrs. Lurline Goble spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Crider.

Miss Pauline Laferty was the Sunday guest of Miss Priscilla Tackett at German.

## MARTIN

Mrs. Ed Clark and Mrs. Dennis Martin were shopping in Ashland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Marrs spent the week-end in Pike county with relatives.

Mrs. Grace Patton was visiting Mrs. Sydney Dings and other relatives in Martin last week.

Mrs. Eddie Greer and baby son have taken an apartment with Mrs. A. B. Osborne. Mr. Greer recently enlisted in the armed forces.

Mrs. Guy Taylor and children and Mrs. Mann Preston visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor on Johns Creek over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vincent spent Monday in Lexington, and accompanied her brother, Parker Reynolds, of the army, home for a visit with homefolks.

Mrs. C. L. Stapleton spent Friday in Catlettsburg and Ashland. Returning with her was her daughter, who had spent the past week with her aunt in Catlettsburg.

The annual bazaar and dinner given by the ladies of the Methodist Church last Friday was a success. Many beautiful hand-made pieces were offered for sale. A total of \$132 was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Crisp have rooms with Mrs. Florence Crisp for the winter.

Rev. Joseph Wimmers conducted mass for Catholics in Martin Sunday morning. He announced the schedule for Christmas masses: Midnight, Dec. 24, at Beauty, Ky.; Christmas morning, 8 o'clock, St. Nicholas Mission, Paintsville; same morning, 10 o'clock, at the home of A. H. Mandt, Prestonsburg; Dec. 26, Wheelwright, 8 o'clock, Wayland at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. L. M. Hayes and daughter, Juanita Mullins, and her grandson, Edmond Mullins, of Morehead, are visiting Mrs. Hayes' mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hill.

Miss Doris Reynolds and Mrs. G. D. Ryan were Christmas shopping in Huntington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter spent the week-end in Sandy Hook, Ky. They had a pleasant surprise upon their return home: their son, Aviation Cadet Ernest Hunter, was home on leave. He is stationed in Denver, Colo.

Seen around town on leaves: Blanche Dings, of the WAC; Phillip Dings, John Spurlock, Oscar Goodin, Dewey Conn, Charles Boyd, Lester Long, Lt. Berman Martin, Lt. Scott Osborne, John Salisbury.

Jimmy Flanery is visiting homefolks. He's doing war work in Huntington, W. Va.

Mrs. Nanny Martin underwent a major operation in Martin General hospital. She has returned to her home at Hi-Hat.

Flight Officer and Mrs. Little, of Bowman Field, have been visiting Mrs. Little's mother, Mrs. Bessie Elam, here for the past week.

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## ALLEN

Mrs. George Woods, who has been ill for several months, was presented a "Sunshine" bag at her home here Dec. 4. Prayer was held by Miss Annie Allen, and the gifts, which ranged from wash cloths to sheets and bed spreads, were presented by Mrs. Mary Austin. Those sending gifts were: Mrs. Myrtle Stephens, Mrs. Emma Hatcher, Mrs. Mary Austin, Mrs. Bernice Porter, Mrs. George Auxier, Mrs. W. A. Malone, Mrs. Mae Greene, Mrs. L. J. Gerlach, Mrs. Ben S. Westfall, Mrs. Felix Crisp, Miss Annie Allen, Mrs. Clarence Salyers, Mrs. Theop Sammons, Mrs. Alice Endicott, Mrs. Audrey Cooley, Mrs. J. S. Rose, Mrs. Harry Baldrige, Mrs. Henry Porter, Sr., Mrs. J. B. Clay, Mrs. Garrett Slone, Mrs. Fanny Workman, Miss Mildred Short, Mrs. Ethel Ratliff, Mrs. M. E. Mitchell, Mrs. Julia Osborne, Mrs. Audrey Young, Miss Jo Ann Young, Mrs. Minnie Flanery, Mrs. Ellen Cheek, Miss Elvada Gibson, Mrs. Mary Bailey, Mrs. Goldia Short, Mrs. Martha Holloway, Mrs. Tine Goble, Mrs. Ben Webb, Mrs. Lizzie Woods, Mrs. Ada Wright, Mrs. Russell Atkins, Mrs. Lila Banton, Mrs. Gomer Crisp, Miss Kathryn Mitchell, Mrs. Mae Bentley, Mrs. Luther Baldrige, Mrs. Lula Crum and Mrs. Lee Woods.

Gus Carlos is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, Huntington, W. Va.

Lt. Berman Martin is spending a furlough here with his father, Dewey Martin, and family.

Cpl. Alex V. Allen, of Ft. Jackson, S.C., arrived here Sunday to spend a furlough with his father, Rev. A. L. Allen, and relatives.

Miss Sophronia Crisp spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Keene, who is a surgical patient in the Methodist hospital at Pikeville.

Jesse Ford, of California, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jarrell.

Mrs. Thurmon Ratliff and Miss Mary Porter were shopping in Ashland Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Laferty and Mrs. Palmer Crisp were business visitors in Martin Wednesday.

Mrs. Harrison Frazier was a business visitor in Paintsville Thursday.

Mrs. Audrey Young and daughter, Miss Jo Ann, were business visitors in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. G. L. Gray and sons, Frank Gordon and Jimmy Delano, were in Martin Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fanny Kane, who has been a patient in the C. & O. hospital at Huntington, W. Va., spent Tuesday and Wednesday here, but has returned to the hospital for further treatment.

News has been received here of the birth of a seven-pound daughter to Sgt. and Mrs. H. B. Spurlock, Jr., of Carlsbad, N.M. Miss Spurlock is the former Miss Eulah Crisp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crisp, of Allen. She was a teacher in the Allen grade school before joining her husband several months ago. Sgt. Spurlock is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Spurlock, of Prestonsburg.

A Christmas program will be given Wednesday, Dec. 22, at 7:30 p.m., in the Methodist Church by the Young People's League, with the sponsor, Mrs. Tincy Crisp, in charge. The program will be as follows: "The Christmas Creed," by Catherine Rice, Mary Porter, Maxine Martin, Mrs. Emogene F. Tackett, Randall Allen, Doug Austin and Herman Crisp; "The Christmas Story," portrayed in reading by Mrs. Nancy Sealf, the Wise Men by Doug Austin, Randall Allen and Donald Martin; Angel, Nova Jean Boyd; shepherds, Frank Gordon Gray, Bobby Lee Woods, Bobby Martin; Joseph and Mary, Herman Crisp and Betty Sue Webb, with carols by Barbara Sue Allen, Roberta Fields, Fay Wright, Jimmy Delano Gray, Paul D. Wright, Chester and Dave Morgan Fields, with Miss Jo Ann Young as pianist; prayer by Mrs. G. L. Gray. The manger and the Christ Child will also be portrayed. Miss Jean Rice will preside as president. Gifts will be exchanged by members of the League. All are invited to attend this program, and join with the League in the singing of carols and worship.

The Girls' Auxiliary, led by Mildred Short, and the Sunbeams, led by Katherine Grace Porter, each had an interesting program in the Baptist Church here Saturday.

Rev. J. S. Rose, pastor of the Baptist Church, supplied for the

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## HAROLD

(Last week's correspondence)  
Ned Elkins underwent an operation recently and is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Glenn Whitt, of Harold, and Miss Fostina Roberts, of Osborn, are now in Seattle, Wash., employed in aircraft office work.

Ballard Cecil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cecil, of Harold, and Miss Billie Joyce Sword, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Sword, of Stuart, were married Wednesday of last week at his home. Guests were: Mrs. Ottis Cecil and Ben McCoy. Parents of both bride and groom also were present. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Clive Ferrell.

Cpl. Edward Cecil, of the army engineers, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cecil, is now stationed somewhere in England. He received his basic training in Mississippi and Texas. Some of his friends had letters from him this week saying he had turkey for Thanksgiving dinner, was enjoying good health and having a "fairly" good time.

## AUXIER ROAD

(Last week's correspondence)  
Pfc. Phil Cornette has received a medical discharge and is now at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cornette.

Elizabeth Sue Bingham has returned from the Prestonsburg General hospital.

Ray Collins and James H. Cornette attended the theater at Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Collins has recovered after a few days' illness.

Ray and Roy Mullins of Wayland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Music this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Spradlin were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Spradlin, of Hi-Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Howell have moved to Prestonsburg.

Misses Berta Ellen Bingham and Mollie Miller attended the theater at Prestonsburg Sunday.

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**BONANZA**

Mr. and Mrs. Manis Hackworth, of Jenkins, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Greeley Hackworth.

Mrs. Andrew Frazier and Miss Alta Mae Hackworth were shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Elbert Conley spent this week with his family here. He returned Sunday to his work at Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harmon returned to their home at Silver Lake, Ind., Thursday. Mr. Harmon's sister, Edith, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Albert Harmon and family plan to move soon to Ada, O. Mr. Harmon is already in Ohio, employed in defense work.

Records indicate that from 25 to 30 farmers in Robertson county will want tenants in 1944, principally growing tobacco.

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Wheelwright Baptist Church Sunday morning, and for Garrett Baptist Church Sunday evening.

Rev. Roscoe Brong, former pastor of West Liberty Baptist Church, preached in the Baptist Church here Sunday during the absence of the pastor, the Rev. J. S. Rose.

Sgt. John Henry Osborne has been home visiting his family and relatives for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Martin, of Wayland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Planery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Salyers and children spent the week-end with relatives at Hager Hill.

Mrs. Luther Baldrige and Mrs. Floyd Warrick were shopping in Prestonsburg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Webb and Miss Nelma Ann Martin spent Sunday afternoon in Wayland.

Mrs. Ballard Martin and Mrs. James Flannery were in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman May, of Prestonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and children, of Martin, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Warren Cooley and Mrs. E. E. Martin were shopping in Ashland Saturday.

Mrs. S. S. Mayo, of Colliver, was visiting relatives here Friday.

Jack Hughes, of Prestonsburg, was a business visitor here last week.

Mrs. Raymond Cooley was shopping in Prestonsburg Monday.

Mrs. Dick Branham, of Arkansas, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooley and daughters were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cooley, of Dwale, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hehn were business visitors here Monday.

Earl Martin, of Wayland, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Ben Webb, Friday.

Mrs. Virgie Allen, of Salisbury, spent the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. George Woods, who is very ill.

**BETSY LAYNE**

Service men who have recently paid visits here were: Pfc. Arnold Kelly, Cpl. Link Smock, Pvt. Aaron Conn, Pvt. Robert Owens, Pvt. Fred Adams, Pfc. Ray Smiley and Sgt. James Hall, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Friend attended state vocational meetings in Louisville last week-end. Mrs. Friend, the former Miss Mary Ruth House, and present Betsy Layne Home Economics teacher, attended a Home Economics meeting while Mr. Friend met with state chairmen of Agriculture.

Lionel Caudill, a student of the eighth grade, has been quite ill for the past few days.

Friends and relatives of Pvt. Clarence Crum are happy to learn that death did not result from wounds recently received in battle as was formerly reported.

Mrs. W. S. Johns and Mrs. Frank Pickle, Jr., (formerly Marguerite Johns), visited Mrs. Pickle's husband at Ft. Thomas last week-end. They also shopped in Cincinnati.

Miss Betty Rose Johns spent last week-end visiting Miss Kathleen Crum at Prestonsburg.

Miss Imogene Kozee, residing now in Bristol, Va., has been the guest of Misses Darlene and Alberta Caldwell for the past week.

Cpl. Link Smock was the Sunday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Caldwell and family.

Rev. Frank Allen, pastor of the Methodist Church here, delivered his bi-monthly sermon Sunday. Rev. Allen has been conducting a series of revival meetings at Lanesville, the last week.

A beautiful Christmas choral service was presented by Miss Carlos Hale and her glee club in high school chapel last Friday morning. The Christmas story from the Bible was read by Gerald Roberts, while appropriate carols were sung.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eddy, at the Pikeville hospital Dec. 3 a fine daughter weighing 6 3/4 pounds. The babe has been named Nancy Lee.

**THE WEEK IN OPA**

**(Facts You Need to Know About Truckers Must File Ration Applications)**

Applications for renewal of truck mileage rations must be made in person at local rationing board offices. The requests must be filed between December 15 and December 31, and no renewals will be made by mail. The new "T" coupons become effective January 1.

**Gift Regulations Clarified**

A church or charitable group distributing Christmas baskets may "borrow" stamps from its local board to buy rationed food, repaying the board with stamps collected from the recipients of the baskets. If the food making up the baskets is received as donations from persons who surrendered stamps in buying it, stamps need not be collected from the recipients. Individuals and families may give rationed foods without collecting stamps from the recipients. Food dealers, wholesalers and manufacturers may not give rationed foods to employees or others without taking stamps in return. A consumer may not give more than two pairs of shoes at any time to another consumer, without collecting stamps. Dealers may not give shoes stamp-free.

**Industrial Users Must Register**

Industrial users of rationed foods must register at rationing board offices between Dec. 15 and Jan. 5. They will use a single registration form replacing the present system of separate forms for sugar, processed foods, and meats.

**New Car Sales Tightened**

Eligibility requirements for buying new (1942) automobiles will be tightened, beginning Dec. 20, 1943. Minimum mileage a car must have been driven before it can be considered unserviceable will be raised from 40,000 to 60,000 miles; salesmen, as such, will not be eligible for new cars, and boards will be instructed to issue new car purchase permit only to applicant showing immediate need for one.

**New Type Gas Coupons**

In a move against Black Markets, "T" gasoline rationing coupons to be issued for taxis and trucks for use in 1944 will be in strips rather than in book form, and will be numbered serially. Supplemental "B" and "C" coupons and "E" and "R" coupons—for non-highway use—will also be in strip form, beginning about March 1, 1944.

In each case a new identification folder will be issued, containing all the same information given on the cover of the old book. On the issuing board will mark the range of serial numbers of the coupons, making it easy for a station attendant to check quickly whether a coupon offered in exchange for gas comes within the correct range. This folder must be kept with the coupons.

**No Increase in Coffee Prices**

No upward revision in coffee ceiling price is contemplated, OPA has repeated this week. The price levels established Dec. 29, 1941, have remained unchanged.

**Corn, Tobacco Prices Up**

Burley tobacco prices established Dec. 4 provided for an increase of \$3 per hundred over prices received in 1942. Maximum price of corn on Chicago market was raised 9c a bushel (from \$1.07 to \$1.16 on No. 2 yellow) on Dec. 4.

**Oats, Barley, Sorghum Grain "Frozen"**

Prices of oats, barley and sorghum grain have been "frozen" pending issuance within 60 days of a permanent regulation on these feeds. Oats and barley, which have been recently selling at or above parity, are "frozen" on a basis of highest prices paid Nov. 29 to Dec. 4, 1943. Temporary sorghum ceilings are approximately parity.

**Fats Salvage**

Housewives need not hold salvage kitchen fats until a large quantity accumulates before delivering to the retailer and receiving meat stamps in exchange. Beginning Dec. 13 a housewife may take as little as a half a pound to her retailer and receive in exchange one brown ration stamp. Also she will continue to receive the ceiling price of four cents a pound for the used fat. The retailer will be reimbursed for the points by the renderer or collector of his waste fats.

**Christmas-Time Reminder**

If you plan to share holiday meals with your neighbors and friends, be sure to take your War Ration Books with you. Your hosts will appreciate it when purchasing rationed foods.

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**DWALE**

Mrs. W. R. Cole, of Russell, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Abe Hall, here last week.

Arlin Paige and family recently moved here from Martin county and are residing in the property of John Nelson.

Miss Virginia Wright, who is taking nurse training at Huntington, W. Va., was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Simmons.

Mrs. Alice Hall, of Banner, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Damron, of Ivel, were visiting friends and relatives here last Sunday.

The Rev. Henry Parsons, of Betsy Layne, held church services here Sunday night at the Church of Christ.

Andy Goodman, who has been doing war work in Michigan, returned home this week for a few days with his family.

Misses Lucy and Artie Elliott, of Water Gap, spent last week with their sister, Mrs. G. W. Hall, here.

Mrs. Kermit Howard and children were shopping in Ashland last week.

Mrs. Lee Robinson spent last week-end in Maytown with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hicks.

**HIPPO**

Sgt. Frank Bailey, who has been stationed in Alaska, is home on furlough and is anxious to return to camp again. He said, "It seems like home, since I have been there for the past four years."

Johnnie Ousley was operated upon last week and is doing nicely.

Miss Henrietta Moore suffered an attack of appendicitis and spent a few days in Martin General hospital, but is doing much better now.

Dorcus and Roy Key, a recently married couple, have moved into their new home here.

Junior Hale, of Eastern, spent the week-end here.

Miss Goldia Mae Ousley, of Columbus, O., is visiting Misses Ruth and Sadie Ousley.

Sgt. Joe Davis is home on furlough and will return to camp in a few days.

Mrs. Frank Patrick has returned to her home in Elvira, O., after visiting relatives here.

George Bailey, of Lima, O., was visiting relatives here with his brother, S/Sgt. Frank Bailey.

One of our every two families have at least two workers. Figure it out yourself how much beyond 10 percent of your family income you can put into War Bonds every payday.

**BIRTHDAY SURPRISE**

Mrs. G. C. Burchett, of Emma, surprised her daughter, Mrs. Imogene Caldwell, with a birthday dinner Dec. 5. Dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Burchett and children, Woody, Jr., Martha Ann and Sarah Elizabeth, Mrs. Lou Burchett and grandson, Jimmy, Miss Ruth Burchett, Mrs. Dick Burchett and daughter, Patsy Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bradis Goble and son, John Gordon, G. C. Burchett, Kenneth Caldwell, Tom W. Burchett and Little Judith Glenn, Jim Caldwell, Mrs. Imogene Caldwell and children. After dinner

was served rook and games for the children were enjoyed. Mrs. Caldwell received many beautiful gifts which she graciously acknowledged.

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# FLOYD COUNTY GOES TO WAR

## Where Floyd Countians in Armed Forces Are, What They're Doing

Sgt. Wm. J. Radliff, a brother of Prof. Wayne Radliff, Wheelwright, is stationed with the 323rd College Training Group at Springfield College, Springfield, Mass.

Promotion of Harvey T. Howard from the rank of sergeant to that of staff sergeant was announced last week by Headquarters Air Service Command, Patterson Field, Ohio. Sgt. Howard is serving in the China-Burma-India Air Service Command in the parachute department. He is a son of Russell Howard, Betsy Layne.

Pvt. Ed Tackett, son of Mrs. Roxie Abrams, of Drift, has been transferred from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., to MR RTC, Ft. Custer, Mich., for basic training.

Roy D. Adams, 18, West Prestonsburg, who would have been graduated from Prestonsburg high school at the end of the current term, exchanged his books for a marine uniform Nov. 4. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Adams. He has two brothers in the armed forces—Garland at Camp Mackall, N.C., and William Woodrow at Camp Atterbury, Ind.

Sgt. John W. Pratt, son of Mrs. Jacob Crisp, of Cracker, is assistant crew chief on a twin-engined training plane for aviation cadets studying navigation. He is stationed at San Marcos, Texas.

Richard Wallen, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallen, of Wheelwright, was recently graduated from the naval air technical training center, Memphis, Tenn., as an aviation radioman. His brother, Petty Officer Clarence D. Wallen, was lost, a few weeks ago, over the Gulf of Mexico when his plane crashed. Radioman Wallen was born at Water Gap, near here, attended Wheelwright high school where he received his letter in football, and volunteered for naval service April 22, this year. Another brother, Curtis Lee, is a navy pharmacist's mate.

The following newly inducted personnel of the army have been sent forward from the reception center at Ft. Thomas, Ky., to the stations and addresses indicated:

- To Field Artillery RTC, Fort Sill, Okla.—Burchell Mency, of Spurlock.
- To A. S. T. P., Fort Benning, Ga.—Henry A. Campbell, Jr., of Fed.
- To 974th Engineer Co., Camp Moxey, Texas—Eddie Greer, Martin.

### SPENDS NIGHT WITH DAVIDSONS

Mrs. Garland H. Rice, of Paintsville, was overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jo M. Davidson Tuesday. She attended the meeting of John Graham Chapter, D.A.R.

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Surviving Sgt. Mayo are his parents and two brothers, Lieut. Louis Harkey Mayo, a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., and veteran of numerous Atlantic patrols, and Pvt. W. P. Mayo, Jr., naval medical student at the University of Louisville.

The missing flier while a student here like his elder brother, Lieut. Mayo, was a high school athletic star, and was one of the community's finest young men. He volunteered for aviation service while a law student at the University of Kentucky.

Wounded in the Mediterranean war theater are the following Floyd countians (details are lacking):

Pvt. Merlin Hall, son of Johnny Hall, Melvin; Pvt. Henry T. Walls, son of Charles Walls, Wayland; Pvt. Earl E. Hinkle, nephew of Roy Blevins, Langley; Pfc. James Collinsworth, son of Mrs. Ethel Collinsworth, Prestonsburg; Pvt. Chandos L. Mitchell, son of the late Andy Mitchell, Ligon.

A relative reported here this week that Pfc. Mitchell was seriously wounded in Italy but that he is convalescing. Mitchell volunteered for service three years ago.

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### Clear Evangelist Of Bigamy Charge

Charged last week in a bigamy warrant, Roy Hall, Matewan, W. Va., evangelist, this week was acquitted of the charge in a hearing before Justice of the Peace Ezra M. Midkiff, at Huntington.

Arrested in Chicago, Mr. Hall was returned to Matewan by a deputy sheriff after he had waived extradition. He had pleaded innocent to his first wife's complaint charging him with bigamy, maintaining that he had not divorced the first Mrs. Hall in Kentucky before marrying again recently in Pike county, Ky.

Anna Jean Searcy, Carroll county 4-H club member, did an outstanding labor project by helping plow, doing all types of tobacco work, and helping garden and can.

### FLOYD COUNTY TIMES

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### Food Wasted in Homes Of This County Would Supply Many Soldiers

Floyd county's 12,923 housewives could feed 3,648 soldiers for a year with the food wasted annually in homes of the county, an official of the A. & P. Tea Company estimated this week.

This amazing figure is based on accurate government statistics which indicates that at least 6,991,343 pounds of food are wasted annually in Floyd county homes, according to Harvey A. Baum, head of the A. & P. Tea Company's produce-buying operations.

Kitchen efficiency, Baum suggested, should include three points: (1) as nearly as possible just the required amount; (2) serve moderate helpings, and (3) use all left-overs.

Baum said that although housewives have eliminated much food waste since Pearl Harbor, over eight per cent of all food bought for home consumption is still wasted. While it is obvious that waste cannot be prevented entirely, he added, carefully planned conservation should cut the loss in half and thus 1,824 soldiers could be fed with the resulting savings in homes of this county.

In Warren county, 513 girls and 508 boys are enrolled in 4-H clubs. There is a club in every rural school.



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In some countries the people have not been enterprising enough to build and maintain their own railroads. And the government has had to do it for them. With us the citizen and not the state has been the force behind our railroads. We have preferred the progress that comes from free competition to the stagnation that accompanies political patronage and bureaucracy.

This system has worked. In the face of the greatest emergency ever to strike this country, the railroads of America have proved more able than ever before to meet the task imposed on them. With consideration for their welfare in the future, they will meet post-war tasks in the same way.

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# Society Notes

### RETURNS TO MICHIGAN

Billie Bolling has returned from Highland Park, Mich., where she resumed her work after a week's absence with her mother, Mrs. Frances Bolling, West Prestonsburg.

### MRS. BURCHETT AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Burchett, of Emma, is an operative patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Her condition has been serious for several days.

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### ATTEND WEDDING AT PARIS

Mrs. Osa F. Ligon, Mrs. E. R. Burke and Mrs. John R. Clarke have returned from Paris, Ky., where they attended the wedding at 5 o'clock on Monday afternoon of their cousin, Miss Anne Colcord, to Lieut. Phillip North. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colcord, formerly of Charleston, W. Va., but who now reside on their farm near Paris. She has visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Friend, here many times. She will continue her studies at Randolph-Macon College where she will be graduated this year. Lieut. North is a son of Philip North, of Charleston, W. Va., and is located at Camp Lee, Va.

### LT. OSBORNE HERE

Lieut. and Mrs. Scott C. Osborne, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Scutcheff, Wheelwright, were visitors here Saturday. Lieut. Osborne and Mrs. Osborne are spending his furlough with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Osborne, of Martin. Meanwhile, Mr. and Mrs. Scutcheff have been joining her brother, Lieut. Osborne, in his visit at Martin.

### ARRIVES TO VISIT SISTER

Mrs. Clyde Emery arrived this week from Dallas, Texas, to be with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Mayo, and Mr. Mayo for an extended visit.

### MRS. HARRIS, IMPROVING

Mrs. Daisy Harris, who has been critically ill at her home on Third street, is showing a little improvement.

### NEELEY CHILD, ILL

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Neeley has been ill of pneumonia for several days.

### GUESTS OF CULBERTSONS

Mrs. George W. Greer and daughter, Mrs. Fay Greer Sharpe, of Pikeville, were here Thanksgiving Day, guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Culbertson.

### DINNER GUEST

Pvt. Randolph Zetz, of Ft. Dix, N. J., was here Monday evening, guest of Miss Avis Vinson at the home of her sister, Mrs. Winston Ford, and Mr. Ford, on Riverside avenue.

### ENTERTAINS FRIENDS

Miss Lorraine Smith entertained at her home on Third street last week Mrs. Bernard Tackett, Misses Avis Vinson and Peachie Howard.

### RETURNS FROM YPSILANTI

Miss Glo Friend, who has been employed at Ypsilanti, Mich., returned home last week for the winter.

### GUESTS OF MR. MRS. PATTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Preston, Ft. Gay, W. Va., and sons, Henry Joe Patton, of Great Lakes Naval Training Station, and Ralph and daughter, Victoria, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Patton on Court street.

### RETURN TO FAIRFIELD

Mrs. S. R. Auxier left last week for Fairfield, O., where she will join Mr. Auxier who is employed there. She was guest here of her daughter, Mrs. Gwynn Ford, and daughter, Mary Auxier Ford.

### HERE LAST WEEK

G. R. Martin, of Drift, was here last week, transacting business.

The United States Tuberculosis Christmas Seal has become international. The 1943 Seal is being used this year in England, Canada, Mexico and Brazil.

### IN PIKEVILLE, WILLIAMSON

Mrs. Mousie Bingham and Mrs. Madge Hondel spent last week in Pikeville and Williamson, W. Va., visiting friends and shopping.

### DRIVE TO HUNTINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wright and Mrs. George Crum were in Huntington on business Wednesday.

### GUESTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elkins and daughter Colleen were dinner guests of Miss Goldia Elkins Sunday.

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### HOME ON FURLOUGH

Cpl. Billie Leslie, who is in the air corps in Florida, is home on furlough, visiting his uncle, David Leslie, and Mrs. Leslie, of Emma.

### VISITING RELATIVES

Lieut. Lawton Clark, of the air corps, has been visiting his brother, E. E. Clark, and Mrs. Clark, on the Auxier road. His mother, Mrs. Ruth O'Neill, of Pikeville, also was here last week.

### SUBMITS TO OPERATION

Mrs. J. H. Howard submitted to a major operation last Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General hospital. Her condition has been very serious, but she is showing improvement this week. Her daughter, Mrs. Mrs. James Raybourn, of Olive Hill, and her sister, Mrs. Wilma B. Raybourn, are at her bedside.

In post-war planning for the reconstruction of the warring countries abroad, programs for tuberculosis control have a leading place. These programs will include methods of fighting tuberculosis demonstrated as successful in the 37-year-old Christmas Seal campaign in the United States.

### VISITS SON IN LOUISVILLE

J. B. Clarke was in Louisville last week visiting his son, Wm. Francis Clarke, who is a medical student at the Louisville College of Medicine.

### COMPLETES TRAINING

Pvt. Charles D. Osborne, son of Mrs. Emma Osborne, Prestonsburg, recently completed his basic training as an aerial gunner on a bomber at Keesler Field, Miss. He is visiting his mother here this week. A brother, Sgt. W. T. Osborne, recently was evacuated from the southwest Pacific area where he saw months of action as radioman on a bomber, and is now in a California hospital.

### HERE FROM OHIO

Monroe Patton, of Alger, O., spent this week here and elsewhere in the county. He was called here by the illness of his brother, George Patton, of Garrett, who submitted to an operation Sunday at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

### VISIT DAUGHTER HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Pratt, of Ashland, were guests for the week-end of their daughter, Mrs. George W. Hereford, and Mr. Hereford.

### Harold Girl, Soldier Are Wed at Lancer

Marriage of Tech. Cpl. Camden Garrett and Miss Ruby May Conn was solemnized at the home of C. D. Kendrick, Lancer, Tuesday by the Rev. C. F. Conn.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Garrett, of Lancer, and has been in army service for several months. Mrs. Garrett is a daughter of Mrs. Gracie Conn, of Harold.

### ENTERTAINS TO BIRTHDAY DINNER

Hubbard Francis, Jr., was host Monday evening to dinner to members of his family at his home on Court street, the occasion being his birthday. Games were enjoyed after dinner by the following guests who presented him with remembrances: William James May, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis, Mrs. Curt Homes, Misses Sallie Bingham and Margaret Patton, Mrs. H. C. Francis.

### PATIENT AT HOSPITAL HERE

Mrs. Julia Burchett, of Knotley Hollow, near here, is a patient at the Prestonsburg General hospital.

### HERE FROM ALLEN

Mrs. W. A. Malone, of Allen, was here last Friday, shopping and visiting friends.

### IN LOUISA LAST WEEK

Rev. W. B. Garriott attended a conference in Louisa last Thursday in connection with the Methodist Church.

### HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Garriott were hosts to members of the senior choir and other guests at an "open house" party at the M. E. Church parsonage Thanksgiving evening. Games were enjoyed by more than 50 guests. Members of the junior choir assisted Mrs. Garriott in serving the guests in the dining room. Presiding at the punch bowl and assisting were Misses Mattie B. Hollifield, Helen Triplett, Emma Louise Patrick, Dorothy Dorton, Gloria Meade, Laura Virginia Roberts, Mary Hill, Evelyn Moore, Messrs. Barkley Sturgill, Dallas and Denver Salmans, Bill David Craft, Freddie James.

### SGT. AND MRS. MARTIN HERE

Sgt. Earle B. Martin, of Ft. Thomas, and Mrs. Martin, Dayton, O., were visitors here Tuesday. They are spending this week at Langley and Minnie, guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank May and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Martin. Prior to his enlistment in the army almost three years ago, Sgt. Martin was a member of THE TIMES news staff.

### ACCOMPANY MARINE RECRUIT

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Horn and Carl Horn accompanied Tommy Horn Saturday as far as Charleston, W. Va., on his departure for service in the marine corps at Parris Island, S.C., and were guests at Charleston of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Gale. Mrs. Carl Horn and children accompanied them to Huntington, where she visited her mother, Mrs. Anna Spurlock.

### HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Julia Holbrook, of the Middle Creek road, widow of Jonathan Holbrook, was a visitor here Wednesday. She will shortly join her son, Degarmo Holbrook, who is employed at Middletown, Ohio.

### CALLED HOME BY DEATH OF MOTHER

Lieut. Joe Taylor Hyden is here with his father, Joe Hyden, and family, having been called home by the death of his mother, Mrs. Nora Allen Hyden, which occurred Saturday at a Lexington hospital. Her daughters, Gertrude and Mary Allen Hyden, arrived from Baltimore where they are employed in the Glenn L. Martin plant.

Search for tuberculosis among industrial workers and the follow-up of men rejected from the armed forces because of tuberculosis loom large in the wartime Christmas Seal program to control tuberculosis.

### SHOPPER FROM DRIFT

Mrs. B. F. Reed, of Drift, was a shopper here Tuesday.

### In Huntington

Mrs. W. H. Jones, Jr., and Miss Frances Jones were in Huntington Tuesday.

Four out of every 100 deaths in the United States are caused by tuberculosis. When the Christmas Seal movement started, tuberculosis was responsible for 12 out of every 100 deaths.

### HOME WITH PARENTS

Lieut. Lewis Harkey Mayo and Pvt. W. P. Mayo, Jr., have been home this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mayo, having been called here after their brother, Sgt. Dick Erwin Mayo, had been reported missing in an air tragedy in California.

### GUEST OF MRS. GATEWOOD

Mrs. W. B. Garriott was guest last week of Mrs. W. B. Gatewood in Huntington. On Tuesday they visited Mrs. O. W. Van Petten in Charleston.

### Dwale Man Victim At Dearborn, Mich.; Was Ill 8 Years

James Wade Maynard, 66 years old, of Dwale, died Sunday morning at the home in Dearborn, Mich., of his son, Curtis Maynard, a victim of dropsy from which he had suffered since 1935.

A former miner and in more recent years a carpenter, Mr. Maynard had many relatives and friends in this section. He was a native of Martin county and was a son of the late Joseph and Nancy Slone Maynard. He had been a member of the United Baptist Church for a number of years. Though born and reared in Martin county, he had resided in the Dwale-Allen vicinity for the last 35 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lula Crum Maynard, and six sons: Ballard, of Red Jacket, W. Va.; Curtis, Dearborn, Mich.; Ralph, Wayne, Mich.; Pvt. Jole Maynard, Camp Blanding, Fla.; Charles, of Ashland, and Edward, of Wayne, Mich. He also leaves two brothers, U. S. Maynard of Williamson, W. Va., and B. F. Maynard, Pilgrim, Ky.

The body was returned to Dwale Tuesday and funeral rites were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Allen Baptist Church, the Rev.

### CHILDREN'S GROUP NAMES OFFICERS

The Children's Society of Christian Service met Thursday evening, last week, at the home of Emma Lou Taylor, and the following officers were elected:

Mary Belle Layne, president; Nancy Ann Branham, vice-president; Emma Lou Taylor, secretary; Edna Joe Hill, treasurer.

Present were: Margaret Harmon, Hannah Lou Craft, Patsy Jean Marcum, Dorothy Bolen, Betty Bolen, Peggy Jane Mayo, Rhoda Laferty, Toby Jo Spradlin, Ann Kelly, Jane Kelly, Eva Hereford, Myrtle Grace Hatcher, Patricia Faulk, Mary Belle Layne, Nancy Ann Branham, Mary Catherine Hutsin-piller, Betsy Spurlock, Edna Jo Hill, Nora Ann Davis, Carlos Evelyn Horn, Martha Katherine Green-wade, Emma Lou Taylor, Mrs. Frank Layne, leader, and Mrs. Nell Hagewood and Betty Gail Hagewood, visitors.

### VISITS DAUGHTER

Lee P. May, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Everett Hurt, and Mr. Hurt, at Gulgare, has returned home.

Isaac Stratton and the Rev. J. S. Rose officiating. Burial, under direction of the Ryan Funeral Home, was made in the Jones cemetery near Banner.



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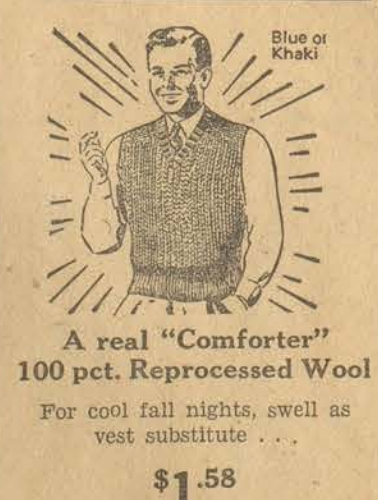
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PYRAMID

Mrs. Marie Whitaker and Miss Carrie Hale were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Miss Marie Patton was visiting relatives here during the week-end.

George Thornsbury was home from the navy, spending a few days with his parents.

Pvt. Junior Wright and Pvt. Gordon Tussey were visiting friends here Tuesday.

Adam Prater was in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Approximately 1,060,134 quarts of food were put up by homemakers in Calloway county.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

Joe Alley, Admr., Plaintiff vs.—NOTICE OF SALE Florence Hall, Etc., Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered and entered at the October term, 1942, in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 27 day of December, 1943, at 1 o'clock p.m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd County Court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being on the waters of Big Mud Creek, Floyd county, Ky., containing 38 acres, more or less, and being the same and conveyed to Florence Hall by unrecorded Commissioner's deed, bearing date the . . . day of . . . 1939, and being lot No. 6 in the division of the estate of John M. Hall, deceased, and more fully shown by map of record in the Floyd circuit court clerk's office, to which reference is made for a more definite description.

Said property will be sold to satisfy a judgment for \$500.00 with interest from January 17, 1939, until paid, and the costs of this action, subject to a credit of \$286.03.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of December, 1943.

J. B. CLARKE, Master Commissioner, Floyd Circuit Court Cost of advertising \$12.75

Four times as much lime was ordered in one month in Lewis county as is generally ordered in the course of a year.

BONDS BUY BOMBS, BUDDY!



Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

The Magic Lanterns: Alfred Hitchcock's latest, "Shadow of a Doubt," is one of the most exciting melodrama-masterpieces . . . Nobody on the stage or screen is a better actress than little Margaret O'Brien. Most aren't as good. She tears the heart out of your throat in "Journey for Margaret," and in a patriotic short, starring J. Cagney, Margaret delivers The Gettysburg Address better, perhaps, than Lincoln himself . . . The March of Time's "We Are the Marines" is the first release from that group that seemed dull . . . Real marines in action at the front, too, but the actors in "Commandos Strike at Dawn" took your breath away with their phony war . . . In that film Lillian Gish's bit-playing didn't hold me, at all . . . I kept thinking: "Here she is appearing in a propaganda picture, although she attacked war a year ago, by accusing Hollywood of 'forcing' her into a film in 1917 to arouse hatred, etc." . . . "China Girl" is only entertainment when audiences kid it.

The Coast-to-Coasters: The big query in Brazil: "Why did your country stop letting us hear Lowell Thomas now and then?" . . . Please send that item to Mr. Nelson Rockefeller's Inter-American Committee, Washington, and help cement relations with South America . . . Joe Besser's interruptions on Jack Benny's show are the most amusing gags in a long time . . . The endless interruptions on Infopleez ("The best tunes of all go to Carnegie Hall!") must have robbed that attraction of many listeners. Most irritating. And so you remedy matters by simply dialing to another program . . . George Denny's "Town Hall Meeting of the Air" remains a radio must . . . The claims here and there that certain radio news commentators "have the largest audience in the U. S." were debunked by the radio page in the current issue of Time, which lists the "first ten programs," and names only one reporter.

The Intelligentsia: "The Sergeant Says," a first effort by Sgt. James Cannon of Fort Dix and PM, is crowded with first-rate wordage—which is hardly news to all of us who said he could write long ago . . . "Guadaluca Diary" (Random House) by Richard Tregaskis of Int'l News, is the Feb. Book-of-the-Month—a literary monument to American heroism . . . Another first effort is "The Listeners," a novel by Lt. Herbert Whiting (Appleton-Century). Critics predict a public for it . . . Reporter Robert Casey's "Torpedo Junction" (we just caught up with it) is a Bobbs-Merrill corker.

The Magazines: The cunning and moxie of the Hitler haters inside the Reich are reported in "Spy at Work" in The Atlantic. Jon B. Jansen and Stefan Weyl thrill you with the adroit hoodwinkings. The stunt becomes all the more admirable when you know they operated with hardly any money . . . This Week introduces the guy who did most to make a monkey out of Goebels (excepting Nature, who made him look like one). He is, according to Curt Reiss, the Soviet propagandist's Lozovsky. His hooting on the Berlin newscastings choked lies in Nazi gullets, and his pamphleteering has caused Hitler to double his carpet devourings . . . Theatre Arts Monthly cites Katharine Cornell's tribute to Thornton Wilder. His translation of "Lucrece," in which she flopped, is described by Miss C. as "my favorite failure" . . . Rollin Kirby's cartoon page in Look should be pasted in every shop window in the U. S.—to remind grippers to jump from the tallest skyscraper. Kirby's is the best push-in-the-face yet.

The Front Pages: Alexander Woolcott's typewriter used to bite people, but it never showed as many fangs as the one that delivered the obit on him for the H-Trib. The piece lifted eyebrows all over town, so unsparring was it. Probably would have got plaudits from the victim—who hated drooling pollyanna fakery . . . The day after Benito's empire died in Tripoli, the Italian rags started giving him sass. One Milan gazette spat in his eye. That's how it goes with losers. Old Baldy couldn't get a worse punishment than hoots from the crowds who once "vive'd" his balcony hamming . . . Mostly you agree with Walter Duranty, but not when, in a mag piece, he calls himself a second rate reporter. They don't come any firster . . . Walter Kerr filed some paragraphs to the Reid family's paper as "a Moscow gossip column." If he wants a title for it, how about "Sovietetra"?

Quotation Marks-manship: Rupert Hughes: Her face was her chaperone . . . Faith Baldwin: She was torn between love and booty . . . Anon: When you talk, you only say something you know. When you listen, you learn what someone else knows . . . F. O. Repplier: She sat up like an exclamation point . . . W. L. McElvaney: The whispered goody of one to never see again . . . John Kennedy: A military expert is one who tells you what is going to happen tomorrow—and then tells you why it didn't.



YOU would think, at the rather ripe age of 81, that a fellow would be looking backward through his memories of big days and great years.

But Colonel Matt Winn insists on looking forward. We tried to get him to tell us about that first Kentucky Derby in 1875, just 68 years ago, when the Colonel was a kid of 13.

"You must have gotten a big thrill from watching Aristides win that first Derby," I said. "Or can you remember about it?"

"I can remember everything about it," the Colonel said. "Sixty-eight years back isn't so long ago. That was a good Derby. But wait till you see our 1943 special. That will be the one."

"How is the walking between New York and Louisville?" I asked him. "Very good," Colonel Winn said. "I might add—excellent. You ought to leave about three weeks ahead, allowing for 30 miles a day. Maybe a little longer. But you will find



COL. MATT WINN

good roads. You will see a beautiful countryside. You can look at flares of dogwood blooms and hear birds singing in the April maples. You can also take along a form sheet. You can read about Count Fleet, Occupation, Ocean Wave and possibly some 18 starters.

"Thirty miles a day," I whispered. "I can already hear my old dogs barking after two days. Did you ever read Masfield 'On Growing Old'?" I asked.

"Who has to grow old?" the Colonel growled. "What did he say about it?"

"Stay with me, beauty, while the fire is dying. My dogs and I are now too old for roving."

Getting There

"Did you know," Colonel Winn continued, "that racing lovers in England and Scotland have frequently started three weeks ahead to see the English Derby? And they walked all the way, hundreds of miles. Of course, this wouldn't apply to anyone needed in any form of war work. We intend to see that no oil or rubber will be used. But there will be many Kentuckians who will either walk to the track or come by wagons, buggies and street cars."

"I can tell you, honestly, that I am not thinking in terms of attendance or receipts. The thought of losing money doesn't bother me a bit. Anyone can get discouraged and quit. But we need all the color we can get today, some outside interests for thousands of people to think about in odd moments.

"The Kentucky Derby is something more than a two-minute race. It begins building up interest weeks ahead—interest among hundreds of thousands who have no chance to be at Churchill Downs in May. Count Fleet? Ocean Wave? Many others.

No Novice Speaks

"I have been looking at Kentucky Derbies for exactly 68 years. There have been a lot of yesterdays packed in since 1875, when both baseball and football were young games.

"Suppose everybody not directly connected with the winning war effort had quit and called everything off? Suppose we had no racing—no football—no baseball—no form of competitive sport left? Would that help the morale of 135,000,000 people, including 11,000,000 servicemen? That would mean we would stand as about the only nation in the world to be so badly flattened out. Fifty thousand at a football game in Moscow, with the Germans 30 miles away—from 20,000 to 30,000 watching British soccer football only a few days ago at many parks—Australia, Japan, Germany, keeping certain games going—but the greatest sporting nation of all time folding up in the way of sport?

"No sane person would ever advocate any sport that interfered in any way with the matter of winning this war. Even a half-wit knows this.

"But, I say, at the age of 81, who should know what sport means to the United States, that sport, correctly controlled and directed, can be a helpful factor without asking any favors.

"If I knew we were going to lose \$100,000 on this next Derby I would still be in favor of holding the race. Please believe me." Colonel, we do.

RATIONING AT A GLANCE

Processed Foods Green stamps A, B and C in Book 4 good through Dec. 20. Green D, E and F good through Jan. 20.

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats, Canned Fish, Canned Milk Brown stamps L, M, and N good now. P, Dec. 12; Q, Dec. 19. All expire Jan. 1.

Sugar Stamp 29 in Book 4 good for 5 pounds through Jan. 15, 1944.

Shoes Stamp 18 in Book 1 and No. 1 airplane stamp in Book 3 good for 1 pair each until further notice.

Gasoline Stamp A-9 good for 3 gallons thru Jan. 21, 1944. B, C, B-1 and C-1 stamps good for 2 gallons until further notice. New B-2 stamps good for 5 gallons until used. State and license number must be written on face of each coupon immediately upon receipt of book.

Next inspections due: A book vehicles by March 31; B's by Feb. 29; C's by Feb. 29; commercial vehicles every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

Fuel Oil Period 1 coupons good through Jan. 3; period 2 coupons good thru Feb. 7; period 3 coupons through March 13. All have value of 10 gallons for each unit. All change-making and reserve coupons good thru-out heating year.

17-Year-Old Youths May Now Enlist in Marine Corps

The United States Marine Corps is now open for enlistment to young men who have reached their 17th birthday, but who are not yet 18. These men will be enlisted and placed on inactive status, subject to call as needed.

The Marine Corps maintains substations in Lexington, Bowling Green and Paducah, and has headquarters in Louisville. By making application to any of the places named, the applicant will be given transportation from the sub-station to Louisville for final examination.

The Attila 4-H club of Larue county bought and sold more than enough War Bonds and Stamps to buy a jeep.



DIA-BISMOL advertisement with image of a woman and text: LISTEN TO THE ALICIA DIA-BISMOL is the antacid powder to take. Gives quick relief from sour stomach, heart burn and acid indigestion, due to too much gastric acidity. Get Dia-Bismol.

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WISHING YOU A

Merry Christmas

December 25th brings us our third successive War-time Christmas. But it will be a joyous event in a majority of homes. For, after all, Christmas is the day of days for the children, most of whom happily still are unaware of the stern realities of War.

So let's make the most of the holiday and do our best to see to it that it is a Merry Christmas, as usual, at least for the little folks.

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RYAN FUNERAL HOME advertisement with image of a building and text: No Need for Expense—Simplicity Is Honor. RYAN FUNERAL HOME. Phone, 2541. MARTIN, KY. Day and Night Ambulance Service.

Advertisement for Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company featuring a man in a military-style uniform and text: During Christmas Holidays, Help him get a line to home. About the only time he can get to the telephone is a few short hours in the evening. That's when thousands of other boys in the camps want to use Long Distance, too. Any time you are not on the lines, there's a better chance for a soldier's call to get through. So unless it's urgent, we hope you won't be using Long Distance from 7 to 10 o'clock at night. Save those hours for the service men. SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

RICHMOND'S PRESTONSBURG, KY. advertisement for gifts featuring images of gift boxes and lists of items for different groups: For the Boys in Service (Tie Sets, Socks, Gloves, Aprons, Utility Kits), For Her (Gordon, Sa-Ling and Gold-Stripe Hosiery, Radelle Slips, Diana Dean House Coats, Jantzen and Lampl Sweaters), For Him (Curlee Suits and Overcoats, Sugar and Spice Ties, Interwoven Hose, McGregor Jackets, Stetson, Disney and Lee Hats), For the Children (Kaynee Shirts and Pants, Forest Mills Knitwear, Lee Junior Hats, Buster Brown Shoes, Love Dresses and Toys).



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DRIFT

Mrs. Neil Simpson is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jones were visitors in Lexington last week.

Jeff Shannon has returned to the Great Lakes Naval Training Station after spending a leave with his wife and friends.

Seaman First Class Bill Burns Martin is home for a 14-day leave. He has returned to the States from Ireland and England. Seaman Martin has been on convoy duty.

Mrs. Ernest Porter's mother is visiting them for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Stumbo were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Blackburn are the parents of an 8 1/2-pound son.

The Drift P.-T.A. is giving a Christmas party Dec. 18.

Roy Cook and Hansel Honeycutt are organizing a Boy Scout troop.

Audrey and Ray Turner and Rex Martin motored to Martin Sunday.

Honor roll for the fourth month of school:

First grade (Miss Ruby Akers, teacher)—Billie Muriel Lawson, Harold Thomas, Gene Honeycutt, Ance Noble, Georgia Fay Shelton, Sarah Kandalee Rakes, Betty Jean Akers.

Second grade (Mrs. Thelma Hicks, teacher)—Buford Gibson, John Thomas Parker, James Lee Reed, Jimmy Paul Turner, Charles Tackett, Hellebe Beverly, Marie Conn, Dorothy Lee Grigsby, Patricia Lou Hewlett, Mary Lou Hicks, Alberta Lyons, Noretta Jo McSurley, Shirley Ann Porter, Helen Yates, Phyllis Jane Reed.

Third grade (Miss Shirley Stumbo, teacher)—Irene Wright, Peggy Lee Martin, Helen Jean Mullins, Patricia Rakes, Eleanor Simpson, Berlie Yates, Marianna Reed, Doris Lee Turner.

Fourth grade (Miss Esther Hamilton, teacher)—Charles McSurley, James Kelly Porter, Freddie Porter, Ruby Jewel Cooper, Bobby Jean Davidson, Willa Fay Isom, Anna Rose McDonald, Wilma Faye McSurley, Betty Ann Reed, Catherine Yates, Sarah Ellen Walters, Catherine Wright, Olga Wright.

Fifth and sixth grades (Miss Love Clark, teacher)—Douglas Cleon Jones, Donald Charles Little, Bobby Parker, Ada June Hicks, Elsie Thompson, Glenna J. Hunt, Anna Rae Lawson, Franklin D. Fultz.

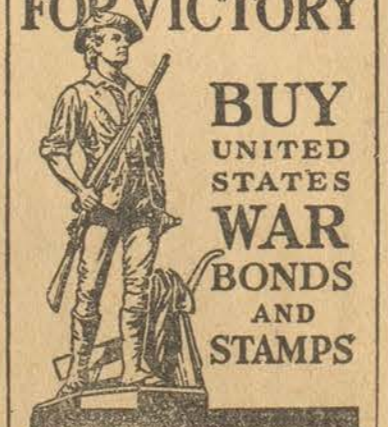
Seventh and eighth grades (Lillian C. Stumbo and Flotina Hall Elam, teachers)—Ruby Clark, Dalton Cook, Ola Mae Grigsby, Juanita Moore, Racine Moore, Anna Jo McCloud, Peggy Rakes, Gilbert Tackett, Emmett Foster, Wanda Lou Fultz, Mabel Gomes, Betty Faye Jones, Lester Martin, Stella Mae Miller, Alan C. Reed, Austin Sexton.

The school children are selling Christmas Seals.

Logan county 4-H'ers produced 58,000 pounds of live pork, beef and chicken, sold \$5,400 of War Bonds and worked 4,000 man hours on farms other than their own.

An average of more than a pound of fat was salvaged in a month by each homemakers' club member in Anderson county, making a total of 1,843 pounds.

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ATTENTION

Christmas Shoppers

All out-of-town orders must be in a week before Christmas. This applies to telegraph orders also. This is necessary due to the shortage of manpower in all floral industries. Place local orders as soon as possible.

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DAVID

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Mullins and Mrs. E. D. Zornes were shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Keesling was shopping in Prestonsburg Saturday.

Wonnell Bussey, Evelyn Capelli, Pete Capelli and Donald Capelli spent Sunday in Wayland.

R. L. Carver, Paul Fitch and Joe Davis, of the armed services, are spending 10 days with their parents here.

Mrs. Orville Short, of Henderson, Ky., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fitch.

Orville Slone and Rossaine Hamilton were married in Prestonsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bayer spent the week-end in Williamson, W. Va., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harmon spent the week-end on the farm with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Bartley had their baby in the Paintsville hospital Saturday and Sunday.

The David Community Sunday School will give a Christmas pageant Sunday night, December 19, at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday night, Dec. 21, at 7:30, there will be a short program and Christmas tree for the Sunday School and community.

McDOWELL

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hall and family, of Weeksbury, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner here Sunday evening.

Bert Osborne and Graden Clark, of Drift, were visitors here Sunday.

Verniece Hall Stamper, formerly of McDowell, is opening a new beauty shop at Martin.

Sgt. Isom Stumbo, stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., is home on furlough.

Aviation Cadet Moses Hall has been transferred from Greenville, Texas, to Belleville, Ill., where he is taking technical training.

Floyd Hall, of Greenup county, was a guest of Milford Hall during the week-end.

Thomas Mosley, Aaron Pack and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Turner attended church at Jenkins Sunday.

Seaman First Class Bill Burns Martin has returned from sea for a 14-day leave, which he will spend with relatives here.

Miss Ruby Jane Turner and Miss Irmal Hall attended the theater at Drift Sunday.

The former Audrey Elam and her husband, of Louisville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elam.

Seamen Second Class Birchell and Johnnie Hall, sons of Milford Hall, are both ready for sea duty. Birchell is now in Boston, Mass., and Johnnie is in Charleston, S.C.

Miss Virginia Turner, who is teaching at Weeksbury, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Edgar Jones attended the show at Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Junior Bentley was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bentley.

Miss Myrtle Bentley spent the week-end with relatives at Prestonsburg.

Approximately 1,700 farm families in Jackson county produced 75 per cent or more of their food on the farm this year.



Washington, D. C.

NEW TOMMY CORCORAN

No announcement has been made yet, but the President has a new "Tommy Corcoran"—astute young Joe Casey, ex-congressman from Massachusetts. Make a note of him. He will play an important role backstage around congress.

But where Tommy the Cork and Ben Cohen frequently rubbed congress the wrong way, Casey's No. 1 job is to promote White House-congressional harmony.

Casey is also making some Q.T. surveys for the President. One of them is to see whether members of the War Production board are deliberately slanting their actions to smear the New Deal.

Another Q.T. probe is of Elmer Davis' Office of War Information. Casey believes that shrewd, public-minded Davis could be of great value to the administration if asked to pass on more government moves in order to gauge their effect upon public opinion. Casey, therefore, may recommend that FDR submit all directives and executive orders to Davis before release to the public.

On the congressional front Casey plans more visits to the White House by bi-partisan groups, which may be able to give FDR better advice than Harry Hopkins.

Note: So far Casey has refused to accept any salary, but is slated later for a post in Jimmy Byrnes' Office of Economic Stabilization.

WHY STALIN DECLINED

The diplomatic grapevine has brought a new reason why Stalin didn't want to join the backgammon party at Casablanca—the danger of being dragged into a political discussion over future boundaries of Europe.

One year ago Foreign Minister Litvinoff flew to London, took the initiative in discussing post-war boundaries. But the British were gun-shy.

Since then Stalin has reversed his policy of advance boundary agreements, has announced a policy of self-determination of nations. With large Russian and Slavic blocs in Poland, the Baltic states, Rumania, the Dobrujda from Rumania, all of Bulgaria, which is very pro-Russian, enough of Yugoslavia—also pro-Russian—to secure an outlet on the Adriatic; and an outlet on the Persian gulf. This would give Russia direct access to the Mediterranean and the Indian ocean. Obviously Churchill, who says he wasn't made prime minister to liquidate the empire, can't be enthusiastic about that.

However, some U. S. plus some British leaders now have reversed themselves about not agreeing on boundaries in advance. Perhaps fearing that Russia might reach too far, they want to work out preliminary peace plans now rather than haggle over them at the conference table.

This advance dealing of the boundary cards, according to the diplomatic grapevine, was what Stalin wanted to avoid at Casablanca.

Note: What Russia wants after the war is a slice of Finland, one-half of Poland, the Baltic states, the Carpathian provinces of Hungary, the Dobrujda from Rumania, all of Bulgaria, which is very pro-Russian, enough of Yugoslavia—also pro-Russian—to secure an outlet on the Adriatic; and an outlet on the Persian gulf. This would give Russia direct access to the Mediterranean and the Indian ocean. Obviously Churchill, who says he wasn't made prime minister to liquidate the empire, can't be enthusiastic about that.

RED ARMY

United States military observers explain recent Russian successes in terms of a development not generally realized in the United States—liberation of the generals from political domination.

Under the system which prevailed in Russia in the early months of the war, the Red generals were responsible to the political commissars. This made them overcautious, prevented daring, resolute action.

Then came the requirement that commissars themselves take military training and indoctrination. Simultaneously their authority over the generals was removed.

Now the Red army is run by the Red army.

THE RUSSIAN FRONT

Though the Russians admitted Brig. Gen. Pat Hurley to the front lines, they still have not revoked their ban on foreign military observers. Their explanation—for what it's worth—is that they would have to admit Japanese observers as well, since they are still at peace with Japan.

Most impressive to Americans who have been anywhere near the Russian front are the earnest but improvised supply methods. Across the Russian steppes come food and ammunition for the men at the front—behind a team of caribou, or oxen, or on the shoulders of men afoot. Any way and every way, the people of Russia keep supplies moving.

CAPITAL CHAFF

Keep an eye on Dick Patterson, ex-assistant secretary of commerce, now head of RKO, as next U. S. minister to Canada.

A secret session of U. S. senators sat with Chinese leaders the other day to try to drum up more aid to China—now virtually nil, despite Roosevelt's statement that more was being flown in now than went over the Burma road. (FDR didn't let his Far Eastern experts see that speech or he never would have said it).

REED BRANCH

Rufus Prater returned home Saturday from the Stumbo Memorial hospital, where he has been a patient for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Caner Crisp and son Richard, Jones Crisp and Sewell Martin visited Mrs. Crisp's parents at Hite Sunday.

Dave Baldrige spent the week-end with his family here. He is employed at Ashland.

Mrs. Syd Hughes and daughter Exie spent Wednesday in Pikeville on business.

Eli Bradley, Casey Prater, Caner Crisp and Kennel Martin were visiting on Wilson Creek Sunday morning.

Marcus Davis, of Columbus, Ohio, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Casey Prater. His small daughter, Virginia Ann, who has been visiting Mrs. Prater since Oct. 3, returned home with him.

Joe Prater is spending this week at his farm at Dundas, O.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 17—  
"Dancing Masters"  
Laurel and Hardy.

SAT.—DOUBLE BILL—  
"Thumbs Up"  
(Musical)  
Brenda Joyce, Richard Fraser.

"The Ghost Rider"  
Johnny Mack Brown,  
Raymond Hatton.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—  
"Hostages"  
Laise Ranier, William Bendix.

TUESDAY—  
"Billy the Kid"  
Robert Taylor, Brian Donlevy.

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—  
"The Falcon in Danger"  
Tom Conway, Jean Brooks.

Attend our Saturday shows.

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all others subsequently located in the county.

The DAR chapter heard reports from committee chairmen that a total of \$650 has been received for the blood plasma fund from all parts of the county since the drive was initiated and that contributions for the week to the Buddy Bag fund amount to \$22, that in addition two Buddy Bags have been received as contributions.

The registrar reported many members had sent supplemental papers for additional ancestral bars this year. The publicity chairman, Mrs. E. P. Arnold, urged each member to save clippings for the publicity scrap book to be exhibited at the state conference in March at Lexington. Christmas carols were sung by the group, after which the program, directed by Mrs. Earle Stumbo, was presented. The Rev. W. B. Garriott, pastor of the Methodist Church, gave an interesting talk on "The Birth of the Messiah." Members present were Mesdames M. J. Leete, O. T. Stephens, Claude P.

Stephens, Grace D. Ford, E. P. Arnold, Lydia Spradlin, R. G. Francis, E. A. Stumbo, W. B. Garriott, Winnie F. Johns, Herbert Salisbury, Everett Sowards, Jo M. Davidson. Guests were Mrs. G. H. Rice, of Paintsville, and the Rev. W. B. Garriott. The January meeting will meet with Mrs. Bess S. May, with Mrs. Everett Sowards, leader.

**REBEKAH'S DINNER SLATED**  
A covered dish dinner will be served by Miriam Rebekah Lodge at the Odd Fellows hall Monday, Dec. 20, at 6:30 p.m. Each member is invited to come and bring a dish of her choice. The dinner will be followed by a Christmas party, when names of "secret pals" for the past year will be revealed and drawn again for the coming year. All members wishing to participate are urged to be present.

Watch the date on your TIMES—renew in time.

**ABIGAIL THEATER**

THURS.-FRI., DEC. 16-17—  
"China"  
Loretta Young, Alan Ladd.  
News.  
"Romancing Along."

SATURDAY—  
11:02 a.m. to 1:12 p.m.,  
6:27 p.m. to 8:12 p.m.—  
"Raiders of Sunset Pass"  
Smiley Burnette (Frog), Eddie Dew.  
Serial—"MASKED MARVEL."

SATURDAY—  
3:01 p.m. and 10:01 p.m.—  
"The Gentle Gangster"  
Barton McLane, Mary Lamont.  
"Little Buckaroo."  
"Desert Playground."

SUNDAY-MONDAY—  
"Girl Crazy"  
Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland.  
(Musical with western background)  
News.  
"Pelican and Snipe."

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—  
DOUBLE FEATURE—  
"Alaska Highway"  
Richard Arlen, Jean Parker.  
"Battle of Russia"  
(War Documentary.)  
The true story of the most misunderstood nation in the world. (80 minutes).  
News.

**WANT ADS**

FOR SALE—64 acres, 4-room house, good condition, outbuildings, soft water, 36 fruit trees, apple, peach, plum, cherry, quince; 40 acres farm land, 24 acres timber. Located in Harrison Township, Vinton, county, 4 miles south-east Radcliffburg on Route 59. Will sell cheap. FLOYD MURRAY, Ray, Ohio. 12-11-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—high quality coal. Phone 3125 or see BUCK MANN'S. 12-2 4t-pd.

FOR SALE—6-room house, lot 75 by 100, at Allen. See or write BENNIE LAFERTY, Allen, Ky. 12-11-3t

FOR SALE—80-acre farm, below Betsy Layne, 3-4 mile from Mayo Trail, 4 room house, good garden, timber. See MAY LAYNE, Ivel, Ky. 12-11-3t pd.

JUST RECEIVED—complete line of Zenith and Ever-Ready A-B Pack radio batteries. JACKSON FURNITURE CO., Prestonsburg, Ky. 12-11-2t

FOR SALE—two purebred Aberdeen-Angus bulls, seven months old. Both are exceptionally fine calves and are of the famous Marshall line. See Norman Allen at FLOYD COUNTY TIMES office, or WILLIE TURNER at D. M. Allen farm on Salt Lick, two miles from Bosco.

FOR SALE—House and lot in upper bottom at Betsy Layne, Ky. Gas, electricity. \$500. Write TREVERT CRIDER, Oak Hill, O. 12-2-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—43 acres hill land on Salt Lick Creek, with or without gas rights. See JOE TURNER, Hueysville, Ky. 11-4-tf

WANTED TO TRADE—Electrolux gas refrigerator to electric refrigerator. Write BOX 345 Prestonsburg.

45 and 51 plate WIZARD BATTERIES for most cars. Guaranteed 2 years. \$6.30 and \$6.80. Exchange. WESTERN AUTO STORE Prestonsburg, Ky. 10-14-tf

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FOR SALE—75-acre tract of hardwood timber, some poplar. One mile from good road. See or write Mrs. CARA HAYES HALL, Hueysville, Ky. 7-22-tf

FOR SALE—25 h.p. Frick sawmill. A good mill for large job. Call J. E. GARNETT, Tel. 326, Hazard, KY. 9-2-tf.

LOST—62 No. 18 (shoe) stamps, sent Nov. 11 to First National Bank, Pikeville, by mail. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Galveston, Ky. JOHN MARTIN.

FOR SALE—5-room house with bath, gas and electricity on Howard street. \$3,000. Will take half down, balance in one, two and three years. See E. B. BROWN, City. 1t

LOST—80 "C" gasoline stamps, issued to Kruger Martin. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Martin, Ky. KRUGER MARTIN.

LOST—"A" Gasoline Book, issued to John Goble. Return to Floyd Ration Board, Prestonsburg, or the undersigned at Lancer, Ky. JOHN GOBLE.

**Ex-Commissioner May Buys O'Rear Farm**

With the announced purpose of devoting his time largely to farming, State Agriculture Commissioner William H. May joined with his brother-in-law Nathan Christopher this week in purchasing a 260-acre farm near Frankfort.

The place, including a large two-story home and numerous other buildings and known as "Glen-Ary," was occupied by former Appellate Judge E. C. O'Rear as his home for many years until he sold it last summer. Price paid by May and his brother-in-law, partners in a shipbuilding plant in Miami, Fla., was not stated.

**Judge Hill and Ranier To Open Mine Here**

County Judge E. P. Hill and T. R. Ranier are constructing a tippie over which coal will be run from a truck mine, a short distance below the West Prestonsburg depot. The mine will soon be in operation, it was said this week.

Henry Miller, vegetable grower of Bullitt county, stored 950 bushels of green tomatoes which he will sell as they ripen.

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Line-ups for the four games:  
McDowell (33) ..... Auxier (20)  
Collins (20) ..... Wells (2)  
B. Hall (3) ..... Connors  
Meade ..... Hall (8)  
S. Martin ..... Baldrige (1)  
Shannon ..... Hobson (2)  
Moore ..... Daniels (7)  
Halbert (10)  
Reed .....  
D. Martin .....  
Referee—Evans.

McDowell (18) ..... P'burg (4)  
Halbert (2) ..... Blackburn  
Reed ..... Craft  
B. Hall (4) ..... Sturgill (1)  
P. Hall ..... Jones (1)  
Collins (10) ..... Crain (2)  
Parsons .....  
S. Martin .....  
Anderson .....  
D. Martin (2) .....  
Referee—Sturgill.

Martin (51) Pos. Maytown (24)  
Prater ..... F. Patton (7)  
Hutchinson (2) F. McComas (6)  
Crum (25) ..... F. Martin  
Wohlford ..... C. Salisbury (10)  
Elliott (12) ..... C. Coolidge  
B. Ratliff ..... G. Hahn (1)  
Turner ..... G. Heck  
Maddox (12) ..... G. A. Allen  
R. Ratliff ..... G. H. Allen  
May ..... G.  
Peters ..... G.

Martin (55) Pos. W'wright (24)  
Crum (16) ..... F. Branham (1)  
Prater (12) ..... F. Sturgill (4)  
Frazier (2) ..... F. Osborne  
Hutchinson (5) F. Elliott (7)  
Wohlford (1) ..... C. McComas  
Elliott ..... C. Curry  
B. Ratliff (7) ..... G. Castle (1)  
Turner (2) ..... G. Branham (4)  
Maddox (8) ..... G. Terry  
R. Ratliff ..... G. Pondzie (2)  
Peters (2) ..... G. Mullins (2)

**ON RADIO PROGRAM**  
Miss Betty Jo Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Stone, of Lexington, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spradlin, of Auxier, was one of the group of children of the "All-City Orchestra" who broadcast a program of Christmas carols Dec. 12 over station WLAP, Lexington. Miss Stone plays the violin and piano.

Forty-two of the original 197 founders of the National Tuberculosis Association are still living. They have seen the tuberculosis death rate cut 75 per cent since the organization was started in 1904.

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\$14,000 but that Mr. Phillips had donated \$500 to the orphanage, making the net cost \$13,500. The association paid \$7,500 down and executed a mortgage for the \$6,000 balance.

Other members of the association's board of trustees are: Rev. Walter L. Hooper, Seco, Ky.; Rev. Monroe Hubbard, Jenkins, and Rev. A. L. Jackson, Ashland, formerly of Betsy Layne, and William Helm, McAndrews, Ky.

The farm has about 60 acres of level land and most of the remainder is rolling, making an ideal site for an institution. An eight-room house, a tenant house and two barns are on the farm. The eight-room house has free gas and water piped into it.

The trustees, Rev. Phillips had hope to select a suitable site to take over the orphanage preparing for farm. For the present the house will be used as a Rev. Moore said. Rev. Phillips had not been constructed for he added.

A drive to raise funds for the orphanage was the Kentucky Association will Baptists when met with the Louisville, 1940. More than \$7,000 has been raised. More needed, however, and will be continued, Rev. Phillips said.

The trustees named and employ a superintendent instructed to purchase acres or more so that could be as near self-sufficient as possible.

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- Hats
- House Slippers
- Raincoats
- Gloves
- Belts and Suspenders

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